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MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE  
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The following Act of Parliament received the assent of the President  
on the 24th December, 1986, and is hereby published for general informa-  
tion:—

## THE MONOPOLIES AND RESTRICTIVE TRADE PRACTICES (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1986

No. 74 OF 1986

[24th December, 1986.]

An Act further to amend the Monopolies and Restrictive Trade  
Practices Act, 1969.

BE it enacted by Parliament in the Thirty-seventh Year of the  
Republic of India as follows:—

1. (1) This Act may be called the Monopolies and Restrictive Trade  
Practices (Amendment) Act, 1986.

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title and  
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(2) It shall come into force on such date as the Central Government  
may, by notification in the Official Gazette, appoint.

54 of 1959. 2. In section 2 of the Monopolies and Restrictive Trade Practices Act,  
1969 (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), after clause (m), the  
following clause shall be inserted, namely:—

Amend-  
ment of  
section 2.

1 of 1956. ‘(n) “registered consumers’ association” means a voluntary asso-  
ciation of persons registered under the Companies Act, 1956 or any

other law for the time being in force which is formed for the purpose of protecting the interests of consumers generally and is recognised by the Central Government as such association on an application made in this behalf in such form and such manner as may be prescribed.’

Amend-  
ment of  
section 10.

3. In section 10 of the principal Act, in clause (a), in sub-clause (i), for the words “from any trade or consumers’ association having a membership of not less than twenty-five persons or from twenty-five or more consumers”, the words “from any trade association or from any consumer or a registered consumers’ association, whether such consumer is a member of that consumers’ association or not” shall be substituted.

Amend-  
ment of  
section 11.

4. In section 11 of the principal Act, in sub-section (1), for the words, brackets, figure and letter “under sub-clause (i) of clause (a)”, the words, brackets, figure and letter “from any association under sub-clause (i) of clause (a)” shall be substituted.

Amend-  
ment of  
section  
36B.

5. In section 36B of the principal Act, in clause (a), for the words “from any trade or consumers’ association having a membership of not less than twenty-five persons or from twenty-five or more consumers”, the words “from any trade association or from any consumer or a registered consumers’ association, whether such consumer is a member of that consumers’ association or not” shall be substituted.

Amend-  
ment of  
section  
36C.

6. In section 36C of the principal Act, for the words, brackets and letter “under clause (a)”, the words, brackets and letter “by an association under clause (a)” shall be substituted.

Amend-  
ment of  
section 67.

7. In section 67 of the principal Act, in sub-section (2), clause (aa) shall be relettered as clause (ac) and before clause (ac) as so relettered, the following clause shall be inserted, namely:—

“(ab) the form and the manner in which an application for recognition shall be made under clause (n) of section 2;”.

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